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In re Application of

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For: IMPEDANCE STANDARD SUBSTRATE AND METHOD FOR CALIBRATING

VECTOR NETWORK ANALYZER

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

By Official Action mailed January 4, 005 restriction to one of the following inventions is required under 35 USC 121:

- (A): the species of Figures 1, 2a-2d, and 3-6; and
- (B): the species of Figures 1, 2a-2d, 7a and 7b.

In response, Applicants hereby elect Species (A), Figures 1, 2a-2d, and 3-6, for examination in this case. Claims 1-15are readable thereon.

A divisional application for Species (B) is being filed concurrently herewith.

Early examination on the merits is courteously solicited.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including

extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 07-1337 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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